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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Max Harry Weil, et al.

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Examiner: Justine Yu

For: CHEST COMPRESSOR

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AMENDMENT
AFTER FINAL ACTION

Hon. Commissioner for Patents January 30, 2003

Washington D.C. 20231 Los Angeles, CA 90024

In response to the Final Office Action dated September 4, 2002, applicant requests that the above-identified application be amended as follows:

In The Specification:

Page 8, line 3, change "182" to - - 183 - -.

In The Claims:

Amend claims 8 and 13 as follows:

Claim 8 (Amended Three Times)

8. Apparatus for applying compressions to the chest of a patient to stimulate blood circulation, comprising:

an energizable compressor assembly which includes an actuator that has a vertical axis that extends perpendicular to the patient's chest, and a pressing member for pressing against the patient;